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1. Gasoline for the Soviet Army may no longer be shipped by railroad tank cars, effective 1 February 1950. Drums of 200 liters capacity must be used and loaded in boxcars. These cars must be marked with 20x10-centimeter labels with two small red dots on them. Between two of such boxcars a flatcar, loaded with less important goods, must be inserted. *

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[] Comment. This new method of transportation guarantees not only safety, but also effective camouflage, since such fuel shipments cannot be recognized from a distance nor will it always be possible to check the boxcars for their shipping labels.

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